

All the News of All the Churches

Pulpit and Pew

Palm Sunday will be celebrated in all of the churches of Washington tomorrow.

Elaborate musical programs and cantatas have been arranged by practically every church in the city to celebrate the triumphant entry of the Saviour into Jerusalem.

When Christ on that Sunday entered Jerusalem he was hailed by the populace as the Messiah and the temporal King who had long been expected to free the Hebrew race from the Roman yoke.

The condition of the Jews was indeed critical and might be compared to the present condition of the world, for the hope of the world today, as the hope of the Jews was then, is for the return of the Prince of Peace, the Great Messiah and Deliverer.

The strewing of palms before the approaching Prince of Peace has been preserved as a symbol of rejoicing down through the centuries, and tomorrow in Washington the custom will be observed in the churches by the use of palms in the services.

Many of the churches will make tomorrow a Palm Sunday, one to be remembered for the stirring patriotic services conducted from their pulpits. In several cases, the flag will be installed as a permanent decoration of the church. Such subjects as "What Seek Ye?", "Last Words of Christ from the Cross," "The Path of Joy," "What Is That to Thee?" "Are We Fooling Ourselves?" "Democracy and the Divine Right of Rulers," "America Summoned to a Holy War," "The Greatest Failure," "The Place of Fear in Life," "Duties of Citizenship," "What Attitude Should the Colored People Take in the Event of War?" "How Can I Rid Myself of Fear?" "Can We Speak With the Dead?" "The Human Nature of God," "Is It Necessary to Go to Church in Order to Be Good?" "The Lost and the Won," are to be preached on. They will be accompanied by beautiful and appropriate music, such as "Hail On in Majesty," "Jerusalem," "The Palms," "O Sanctissima," "Save Me, O God," "The Holy Women at the Sepulchre," "March of the Cross," "Miknon," by Schumann, "Hant Sans Paroles," Tchaikowsky, "Adagio," from Sonata in C sharp minor, by Beethoven; "Romance in B," by Beethoven; Anthem, "Blessed is He Who Cometh," by Gounod; postlude by Scharwenka; Paul Bliss' "Mary," a sacred song depicting four scenes from the life of the Mother of Jesus, and "The Seven Last Words."

CHURCH NOTES.

A congregational meeting of the Fourth Presbyterian Church has been called for Wednesday evening, April 4, 1917. Some important policies in the development of the work will be presented and acted upon at this time.

The semi-annual election of officers of

meeting will be addressed by Miss Carrie R. Pond of Dorland Institute. The session of the Fourth Church will meet at the home of Dr. Kelly on Tuesday at 7:30 o'clock.

At the monthly meeting of the Sunday school teachers and officers, of the Fourth Presbyterian Sunday school, it was decided to hold a May Day for the girls of the school on the church lawn. Practice will begin at once and will be under the direction of Mr. Homer Edson, the general secretary, assisted by the girls' gymnasium leaders.

A Sunday school library will be installed for the use of the teachers and officers, at the Fourth Presbyterian Church and a special normal class for the teachers in the various departments will be opened under Miss Eleanor H. White, superintendent of teachers training in the school. The school is anticipating an organization that will carry forward the vigorous work of the school through the coming summer months. The meeting will be formally installed at the morning church service tomorrow.

Sunrise service, at 7 o'clock tomorrow morning, will be conducted by the Christian Endeavor Society of the Eckington Presbyterian Church. At the 11 o'clock service new members will be received into the church. At the annual meeting Thursday night, when the trustees are elected to succeed themselves, the church showed financial gains during the past year, in spite of the fact that a considerable amount of decorating has been done, as well as a new system of indirect lighting installed. In view of this financial success, it was decided to add to the professional voices in the choir.

Rev. W. F. Smith, of Whitney Avenue Christian Church, will preach on "What Seek Ye?" tomorrow morning and will continue his sermons on "The History of the Christian Church, Using the 'Reformation,'" for the evening sermon.

The Presbyterian Ministers' Association of Washington City will meet in New York Avenue Church, 10:30 A. M., Monday, April 2, when a paper will be read by Rev. J. D. Buhrer on "Sin or Atomism."

Rev. C. E. Granger, pastor of the Gunton Memorial Baptist Church, will speak at the meeting at the lobby of the Young Men's Christian Association tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock. Special music will be provided. The meeting will be open to both men and women.

The monthly meeting and conference of the extension workers of the Y. M. C. A., will be held this evening at 6 o'clock. An address will be given by Dr. James N. Taylor, D. D., pastor of the Central Presbyterian Church. Dinner will be served by members of the Boys' Department.

Dr. C. B. Conklin, will lecture at the gymnasium on Monday evening at 7:30

o'clock on "Diseases of the Heart and Blood Vessels." This lecture is for men and is open to all men whether members or not.

An informal concert will be given in the lobby from 6:45 o'clock this evening to 8 by the Walliana Hawaiian Quartet and the Schubert Trio. This concert is open to the public and both men and women are invited.

Tomorrow at 11 a. m. in the Douglas Memorial Methodist Episcopal Church, Eleventh and H streets northeast, the Rev. E. C. Dinwiddie will speak in the absence of the pastor at the annual conference in Baltimore. At 7:30 p. m. the Epworth League will have charge of a special service. Besides music by the Quartet Choir the League Chorus will sing.

The headquarters of the Washington District Epworth League has been moved to room 31 in the Clover Building, 149 F streets northwest. The new headquarters will be open for business next week.

The monthly meeting of the board of control of the Washington District Epworth League will be held in the lecture room of the exhibit on alcohol, at 1225 New York Avenue northwest. The business session will be followed by talks on the exhibit and all the leaguers of Washington, of both the M. E. Church and the M. E. Church South, are being invited to attend. It is to be Epworth League night at the exhibition.

About 100 Washington Epworth Leaguers attended the annual rally of the Baltimore conference Epworth League at Walbrook M. E. Church, in Baltimore, last Tuesday evening. Addresses were made by Dr. Charles E. Guthrie, of Buffalo, and Senator Jones, of Washington. Robert D. Burbank, of Washington, was elected president of the Baltimore conference Epworth League.

"Is Jesus Popular in Washington?" is E. Hez Swem's subject Sunday night, Centennial Baptist Church. In the morning there will be a sermon, the right hand of fellowship and the Lord's Supper.

"The Crucifixion" will be rendered under the direction of S. N. Ferris, choir-master at the Chapel of the Nativity, on Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. The Rev. Enoch M. Thompson, vicar, has planned to observe all the days of Holy Week at the Nativity and the Resurrection Chapels, with special services. He will conduct the three-hour Passion service on Good Friday, from 12 to 3 o'clock p. m. The Easter baptism will be on Easter Eve (Saturday) at 4 p. m., as customary.

Rev. C. E. Granger, pastor of Gunton Temple Memorial Presbyterian Church, will speak at the afternoon meeting at the Y. M. C. A. tomorrow. Mr. Edwin Callow will sing the "Palms." This meeting is open to both men and women.

The Y. M. C. A. gospel team will have charge of the Sunday evening service at the Takoma Park Presbyterian Church. The address will be delivered by Homer J. Councilor, and special music will be rendered by the quartet.

Floyd T. Holland, chairman of the evangelistic committee of District C. E. Union will speak at the morning service at Eldbrooke M. E. Church.

Hon. Adam Dixon Warner, of California, noted orator, lawyer, lecturer and author, will speak at a public meeting in the Vernon Avenue Christian Church tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock on "Duties of Citizenship." The Hon. Charles H. Randall, of California, will preside. Miss Anna Adams Gordon, national president, and Mrs. Margaret Dye Ellis, national legislative superintendent, W. C. T. U., will conduct the devotional exercises.

"The King of Kings," composed by Mr. Warner, will be sung by Miss Helen F. Edgar.

Rev. Percy Foster Hall, of the Church of the Epiphany in Washington, D. C., will preach to the students of Tome School, at Port Deposit, Md., next Sunday morning.

"The Seven Last Words" will be produced on Palm Sunday evening in St. Patrick's Church with an augmented mixed choir, assisted by the Sanctuary Choir. Father McGuigan will give a short meditation preceding the rendition of each word. No tickets of admission will be required for entrance to the church. The solemn placing of the palms will take place before the 11 o'clock mass. Services will begin at 10:45.

The combined choir, consisting of St. Patrick's Sanctuary Choir and the students and clergy of Holy Cross College, will render the Tenebrae Services next Wednesday, Thursday and Friday evenings. An elaborate program has been arranged.

Foundry M. E. Epworth League will have for the speaker at the devotional service tomorrow evening at 6:45 o'clock Mr. William Knowles Cooper, general secretary of the Washington Young Men's Christian Association, whose subject will be "Are We Fooling Ourselves?" The special musical numbers will include selections by the large chorus choir under the leadership of J. H. Gallager and the Tau Male Quartet, of the Western Presbyterian Sunday School. Solos will be rendered by Mrs. Clarence P. Lewis and Mrs. Anna Brett Summy.

Dr. John Britton Clark, at the First Presbyterian Church, John Marshall Place, will preach the last sermon in his series of "Six Signal Victories" tomorrow night. The subject will be, "The Victory Over the World—Christ." The

music will be appropriate to Palm Sunday.

On Good Friday, at 8 p. m., the chorus and Miss Leckie, assisted by Mr. Charles Myers and Mr. Roger J. Whiteford, will sing "The Seven Last Words of Christ from the Cross." The music will be from the settings of Haydn and DuBois. Dr. Clark will give a short address on "The Crucifixion."

Revival services will open at Fifteenth Street Christian Church tomorrow morning at 10:30 o'clock. The pastor, Rev. Leslie L. Bowers, will preach every night during the week except Saturday night. There will be special music every night. The services will close on Easter Sunday with the lecture on the "Crises of the Soul."

Special services will be held in Foundry Methodist Episcopal Church each evening during Passion Week as follows: Tuesday, special address to the preparatory members; Wednesday, a service conducted by the Men's Club; Thursday, sermon by the pastor; Friday, special sermon to the Sunday school, followed by the sacrament of the Lord's Supper. Tomorrow morning the pastor, Rev. Walter Everett Burnett, will preach on "The Triumphant Entry," and in the evening on "The Enlargement of Life."

"Should the Bible be Blue Fencible?" will be the subject of the sermon by Rev. George A. Miller at the Ninth Street Christian Church tomorrow night. This sermon will be in reply to a statement recently made from a Washington pulpit. The subject of the morning sermon will be "What Is That to Thee?"

A patriotic service will be held at the Immanuel Baptist Church tomorrow evening. Dr. G. G. Johnson, the pastor, will be assisted by Prof. R. W. Moore.

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WHERE TO GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY, APRIL 1, 1917.

Rev. Julian Kennedy Smyth,
New York City,
President
General Convention
Church of the New Jerusalem,
Will Speak
Sunday Evening at 8
In the
Church of the New Jerusalem,
Sixteenth and Corcoran Sts.,
On
"The Human Nature of God."
Questions answered after the address, such as
"Do the Dead Come Back?" and others you
may ask.
No Charge. No Collection. All Welcome.

PROTESTANT EPISCOPAL.
St. Andrew's Church
Corner N. H. ave. and V. st. n. w.
Rev. J. J. DIMON, Rector.
Services for Palm Sunday:
9:30—Holy Communion.
9:30—Sunday school.
11:00—Morning service and Holy Communion.
8:00—Evening service.
The rector will preach at both services.

N. Y. Ave. Presbyterian Church,
N. Y. Ave., Thirteenth and H Streets.
DR. WALLACE RADOLIFFE, Pastor.
Music led by Quartet Choir.
11:30 a. m.—Palm Sunday sermon and song.
8:30 p. m.—"The Old-fashioned Meeting House."
9:30 a. m.—Bible school.
9:45 a. m.—Adult Bible classes.
7:30 p. m.—Christian Endeavor Society.

Church of the Covenant
CORN. AVE.,
CHARLES WOOD, Minister.
CHARLES C. TRAVIS, Minister-in-Charge
of Peck Chapel.
9:30 a. m.—Sunday school. Sermon by Dr. Wood.
11:00 a. m.—Morning service. Sermon by Dr. Wood.
3:30 p. m.—Afternoon service. Music rendered by Trinity Quartet. Sermon by Dr. Wood.
5:30 p. m.—Christian Endeavor meeting.
8:30 p. m.—Evening service. Music rendered by Evening Choir of 100 Voices. Sidney Lind Wrightman, director; Harvey Murray, organist. Sermon by Dr. Wood. Subject: "Democracy and the Divine Right of Rulers."
Special service, with address by Dr. Wood, will be held each afternoon next week at 4:30 p. m. in Chapel, except Monday and Saturday.
Friday at 8 o'clock, special musical service. Stainer's "Crucifixion," by evening choir. Address by Dr. Wood.

Eckington
NORTH CAPITOL,
REV. H. E. BRUNDAGE, D. D., Minister.
11 a. m., "Last Words of Christ From Cross-Victory."
7:45 p. m., "Characters at the Crucifixion—The Won and the Lost."

Y. M. C. A.

Y. M. C. A. Lobby, Sunday, 4 P. M.

REV. C. E. GRANGER, D. D., Speaker.

EDWIN CALLOW, Soloist.

Men and Women Invited.

Y. W. C. A.

Building open, 1:30 to 7:30 p. m.

BIBLE CLASS, 4:30 VESPER TALK, 8:30 P. M.

Speaker, MRS. MARY G. STEVENS.

EPISCOPAL.
St. John's Church
SIXTEENTH AND
REV. ROLAND COTTON SMITH, D. D.,
REV. EDWARD SLATER DUNLAP, M. A.,
REV. GEORGE WILLIAMSON SMITH, D. D.
11:30 a. m.—Holy Communion.
9:45 a. m.—Sunday school.
11:30 a. m.—Morning prayer and sermon.
4:15 p. m.—Evening prayer and sermon by Rev. G. F. Dudley.
Holy Week: Daily (except Easter eve and Good Friday), 9 a. m., 12 m., and 4:45 p. m.

Church of the Epiphany
6, NEAR
REV. RANDOLPH H. McKIM, D. D., Rector.
PALM SUNDAY NIGHT:
"AMERICA SUMMONED TO A HOLY WAR."
REV. DR. McKIM.

Church of the Good Shepherd,
SIXTH AND I STREETS N. E.
REV. C. S. ABBOTT, Vicar.
Services, 7:30 and 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.
Procession of Palms, 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.
HOLY WEEK SERVICES:
Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, 9:30 a. m. and 8 p. m.
MAUNDY THURSDAY:
7:30 and 11 a. m. and 5 p. m.
(Night service omitted).
GOOD FRIDAY:
11:00 a. m.—"The Last Supper."
12 noon to 3 p. m.
Service and address, 8 p. m.

Church of the Ascension
MASS. AVE.
REV. J. HENNING NELMS, D. D., Rector.
SUNDAY SERVICES:
Services, 8 and 11 a. m. and 8 and 8 p. m.
11 a. m., rector will preach.
8 p. m., half-hour mission song service, followed by Bible story told by the rector. Subject, "JUDAS."

The Nativity
14TH AND A SE.
PALM SUNDAY: 7:30, 9:15, 10, 11 a. m.; 8 p. m.
Sundays, 9:30, 11 a. m., and 7:45 p. m.
Mon., 7:30 p. m.; Wed., 7, 4, 7:30; Thurs., 7, 10 a. m.
Good Fri., 10, 11, 12 to 3, 7:30. Easter baptisms, Sat., 4.
"The Crucifixion," by St. Paul's Choir, Tues., 8 p. m.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL.
Foundry
SIXTEENTH STREET
NEAR P STREET.
REV. WALTER EVERETT BURNETT, Pastor.
9:30 a. m.—Bible school.
11:00 a. m.—"THE TRIUMPHANT ENTRY."
6:45 p. m.—Epworth League.
8:00 p. m.—"THE ENLARGEMENT OF LIFE."
Music by quartet choir. Visitors welcome.

UNITARIAN.
All Souls' Church
COR. FOURTEENTH
ULYSSES G. B. PIERCE, D. D., Minister.
9:45 a. m., Sunday school. Class for the Comparative Study of Religion and Unity Study Class, 11 a. m., morning service; sermon by the minister. There is also kindergarten during the hour of morning worship.
4 p. m., Vesper service. Address by Dr. Pierce. Chas. J. Titmann, soloist.
8 p. m., Liberal Religious Union. Address by Dr. Wm. C. Woodward: "Safeguarding a City's Health."

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE.
First Church of CHRIST.
Columbia road and Euclid at
Services: Sunday, 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.
Subject: "REALITY."

Second Church of CHRIST.
Fifteenth and R sts. n. w.
Services: Sunday, 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.
Subject: "REALITY."

SPIRITUALISM.
The First Spiritualist Church
"SPIRITUALISM'S GREAT WORK."
Lecture by the pastor, Alfred H. Terry, Sunday at 8 p. m., followed by spirit messages, at Fifthian Temple, 1012 9th st. n. w., second floor. All welcome.

Dr. Gordon's Subjects
for Sunday, April 1.
First Congregational
Church,
10th and G Sts. N. W.

11 a. m.—"HOW CAN I RID MYSELF OF FEAR?" A sermon for people who are nervous and worried.
1:20 p. m.—Copies of Dr. Gordon's recent sermon on "Spiritualism" will be distributed at the morning service.
8 p. m.—"CAN WE SPEAK WITH THE DEAD?" The second sermon on Sir Oliver Lodge's new book, "Raymond."

ALL ARE CORDIALLY INVITED.

BAPTIST.
GRACE BAPTIST
NINTH AND D S. E.
Pastor F. W. Johnson.
11:00—"The Greatest Failure," Communion.
7:45—"The Place of Fear in Life."

E. HEZ SWEM
Sixth and A sts. n. w.
Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. by Rev. G. W. McCullough. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. B. Y. P. U., 6:45 p. m. Missionary society Tuesday, April 3, 8 p. m. Speaker, Miss Mary F. Dixon, of Baltimore.

FIFTH
E. NEAR 17TH ST. SW.
Pastor JOHN E. BRIGGS
Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. by Rev. G. W. McCullough. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. B. Y. P. U., 6:45 p. m. Missionary society Tuesday, April 3, 8 p. m. Speaker, Miss Mary F. Dixon, of Baltimore.

Metropolitan Baptist Church
SIXTH AND A STS. N. W.
JNO. COMPTON BAILL, Pastor.
11 a. m., "Journeying With Jesus Into Jerusalem."
7:45 p. m., "Love Light From Calvary's Cross."

OTHER SERVICES.

Washington Secular League
(An Open Forum).
Debate: "RESOLVED, THAT THE PACIFIST POSITION AT THIS TIME, IS JUSTIFIABLE." Affirmative: Louis P. Lochner and Miss Elizabeth Freeman, of Emergency Peace Federation; W. V. Mahoney, of Anti-War League, and other pacifist representatives. Negative: John D. Bradley and David Eddies, of Secular League, and other speakers. Pythian Temple, main hall, Sunday, 3 p. m.

Church of Christ
MASONIC TEMPLE,
Eighth and F sts. n. e.—Second floor.
Preaching, 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. by Evangelist O. D. Maple, of Indiana. All are welcome.

Associated Bible Students
AT OLD MASONIC TEMPLE, 8th and F sts. n. e., 3 p. m., lecture by R. H. Hirsch, of New York City.
7:30 p. m., class for Bible study.
All welcome. No collection.

Bahai Movement
Subject: "The Spiritual Service of a Common Language."
Speaker: Rufus W. Powell, of New York City. Pythian Hall, 129 Connecticut Avenue, Sunday, 8:30 p. m. No collection. All invited.

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